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#### THE BOOM OF COLUMBUS.

If Pancho Villa knew what had happened to Columbus, N. M., since his raid, he would doubtless think the ways of the American more incomprehensible than ever. The town which he tried to destroy, with very fair results, is rebuilt and extended in every direction, and the business and population have been many times multiplied.

In real estate activity it is almost a rival of El Paso. One realty firm prides itself on selling lots every day. Another has sold more than 50 in the past 30 days. A third, which undertook to sell a subdivision, has sold itself out of property, while a fourth has opened up a new tract and is selling that. Houses to rent are at a premium, hard to get and high in price. Business is at flood tide. These are great days for Columbus.

Perhaps, with a good running start, Columbus will keep right on growing. Again, perhaps when the troops are withdrawn, the town will lapse to about where it was before the Villa raid. At any rate, Columbus will long remember the big days of 1916 and admit that Villa "started something."

PORT ROYAL, S. C., Sept. 22.—Americans are latently the best bomb and grenade throwers in the world and are capable of waging wonderful trench warfare in case of hostilities, say United States marine corps officers in charge of recruit training at this place.

"The average American youth early learns to throw a baseball with speed and accuracy and it is because of that, we, as a nation, are especially fitted to wage the modern war of the trenches. Baseball is encouraged at all our stations and the skill displayed by marines—even untrained recruits—in the bomb and grenade throwing practice is really remarkable," said Drill Sergeant Moore today.

## YUMA LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS OF IMPORTANCE

As stated in the Examiner several days ago the Fourteenth U. S. Infantry which is now here, succeeding the Twenty-first infantry, which has gone to Calexico, numbers ab 650 men. Col. J. D. Baker, Jr., in command of the Twenty-first infantry, stated to the Examiner that the normal strength of the fourteenth should be about 60 men more than the Twentyfirst, unless the regiment had fallen below its former



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strength. The information at hand is that the Fourteenth numbered about 500 men to which was recruited 150 more at Douglas.

The funeral of Eugene Caruthers who was killed last evening at Gila Bend, will be held at Los Angeles, where his mother and sister are. The father, E. G. Caruthers, and brother, Sam Caruthers, and Undertaker Johnson, who arrived in Yuma today from Gila Bend will leave tonight with the body for Los Angeles.

Secretary Alexander of the Commercial Club and Judge Westover have gone to the Agua Caliente springs for a weeks' recuperation.

The Southern Pacific Company will place on sale Sept. 22, 23 and 24, round trip tickets to Phoenix, account of the

Republican state central committee meeting, for \$10.75, with final return limit Sept. 30.

The city primaries will be held on October 31.

Assessor Dick Stanton yesterday sold at auction for delinquent taxes the city property of Mary E. Baker and the property belonging to the Jesus Redondo estate, the same being bid in by John Doan and Henry C. Kelly for \$29.82.

The announcement of Charles H. Brisbin for chief of police in yesterday's Examiner is meeting a hearty approval among city taxpayers. Mr. Brisbin is city building inspector now.

Mrs. Cecil Pryor is home from the Coast.

At Republican Headquarters last evening precinct committeemen were announced as follows.

**Republican Precinct Committeemen.**  
Yuma No. 1—Albert E. Byrnes.  
Yuma No. 2—E. S. Kirkpatrick.  
Yuma No. 3—L. W. Alexander.  
Blaisdell Heights—J. A. Ketcherside.  
Crane—Mark Alexander.  
Somerton—T. B. Bell.  
Gadsden—James Fuquay.  
Mohawk—Harry S. Glenn.  
Salome—E. S. Jones.  
Wenden—E. P. Hart.  
Parker—W. W. Dunbar.

Professor Grady, who has charge of the High school commercial department, as the successor of Mrs. E. H. Tobias, hails from Pigeon Wing, Mich.

At the recent primary the follow-

ing Democratic precinct committeemen were selected:

Somerton—R. W. Moss.  
Gadsden—J. W. McLaughlin.  
Dome—E. W. McDaniel.  
Castle Dome—A. R. Haack.  
Wellton—James Chappell.  
Mohawk—Edward Myers.  
Norton—L. A. Hicks.  
Palomas—J. Fred Nottbusch.  
Ehrenberg—Sterling Winters.  
Quartzsite—Chas V. Kuehn.  
Vickburg—Wm. Houston.  
Wenden—Wm. Wilkinson.  
Alamo—Richard Allen.  
Bouse—W. C. De Spain.  
Parker—R. B. Brown.  
Yuma No. 1—F. S. Ming, George Downey and Ike Leposky.  
Yuma No. 2—Robah F. Gray and Warren E. Snyder.  
Yuma No. 3—Bert Cawdry, J. B. Dunbar and J. R. Keer.  
Blaisdell Heights—W. M. Minn.  
Crane—Roy H. Lawler and J. C. Power.

#### EUGENE CARUTHERS KILLED.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 22.—Eugene Caruthers, aged 28, son of E. G. Caruthers, president of the First National Bank of Yuma, and owner of the largest mercantile store in Gila Bend, was shot and instantly killed in a pistol duel with Russell Johnson, a prominent young cattleman yesterday. The shooting occurred in front of the Caruthers' store at Gila Bend.

Young Caruthers and Johnson, who is the head of the Gila Bend & Cattle Company, have been having trouble for some time. The dead man has been looking after his father's cattle interests here, and the subject of fences has been gradually approaching an inflammable point.

Johnson was sitting in an auto in front of the Caruthers store when young Caruthers came out of the door.

Although there was at least one eyewitness to the affray, no one knows what started the argument. Both men were seen to pull their guns, but Johnson was the quicker on the draw and fired twice before Caruthers could get into action. The first shot did not take effect, but the second penetrated the heart. Johnson used a 38 automatic and Caruthers was armed with a 32 automatic.

The Arizona Republican this morning said: Both the men are well known over the state. The Caruthers family is one of the most prominent in Arizona, the father of the dead man being one of the wealthiest cattlemen in the state. Johnson's family lives in California. The Gila Land & Cattle Company, whose interests he was looking after, has its headquarters in Tucson.

Johnson was brought to Phoenix last night by Southern Pacific Officer O'Neill.

It was feared that the many friends and relatives of the dead youth might attempt to take the law into their own hands.

Caruthers' father was informed of the tragedy by wire. He wired back that he was on his way. Other relatives of the boy wired that Johnson had better be removed from town, as feeling was running high.

According to Deputy O'Neill, eyewitnesses claim Caruthers had his gun in his hand, and had called to Johnson that he was going to "shoot out his heart." He started toward the machine in which Johnson was sitting, holding the gun upright, it is alleged, with the safety down and ready to shoot. Johnson's gun was in a pocket on the front door of his machine, but he managed to get it out and shoot before Caruthers could pull the trigger.

Sheriff Adams, Deputy Sheriff Sears and County Attorney Gandy went to Gila Bend last night by auto, but arrived after O'Neill and Johnson had left for Phoenix.

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